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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	LEROUX ET AL.
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Examiner)	Dicus, T.
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Attorney Docket No.)	1366

AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

To: Commissioner for Patents
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In response to the non-final Office Action mailed November 2, 2005, Applicants request early and favorable action on pending claims 1-6 and 19-27.

This application has been pending for more than five years. Pursuant to MPEP 708.1(I), Applicants believe the application is a special case and request it to be advanced out of turn.